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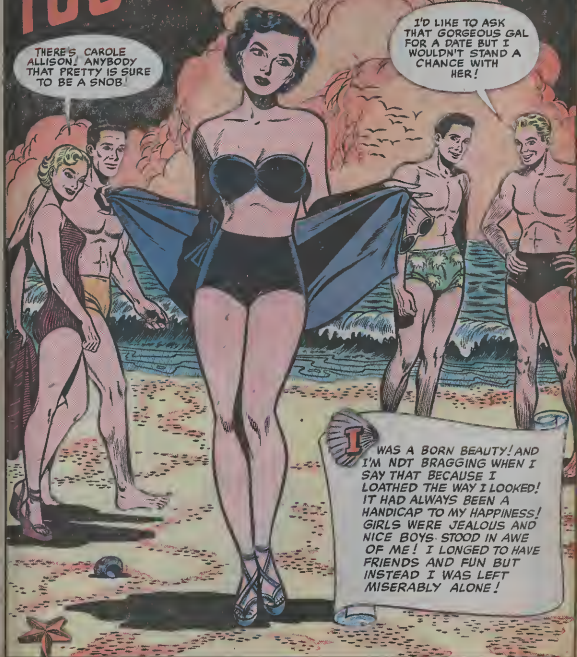
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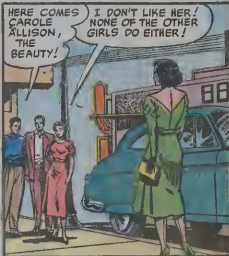
THERE'S CAROLE ALLISON! ANYBODY THAT PRETTY IS SURE TO BE A SNOB!

I'D LIKE TO ASK THAT GORGEOUS GAL FOR A DATE BUT I WOULDN'T STAND A CHANCE WITH HER!

I WAS A BORN BEAUTY! AND I'M NOT BRAGGING WHEN I SAY THAT BECAUSE I LOATHED THE WAY I LOOKED! IT HAD ALWAYS BEEN A HANDICAP TO MY HAPPINESS! GIRLS WERE JEALOUS AND NICE BOYS STOOD IN AWE OF ME! I LONGED TO HAVE FRIENDS AND FUN BUT INSTEAD I WAS LEFT MISERABLY ALONE!



I GREW UP TRYING TO OVERCOME THE PROBLEM OF BEING SO BEAUTIFUL AND SUCCEEDED SOMEWHAT UNTIL WE MOVED TO MANVILLE! THERE, TRY AS I WOULD, I COULDN'T SEEM TO CRASH THE CIRCLE OF PEOPLE MY OWN AGE!



HERE COMES CAROLE ALLISON, THE BEAUTY!

I DON'T LIKE HER! NONE OF THE OTHER GIRLS DO EITHER!

WHY? WHAT'S WRONG WITH HER?

SHE'S SNOOTY! WITH HER LOOKS AND HER DAD'S DOUGH---



HELLO! HELLO, CAROLE! HI!



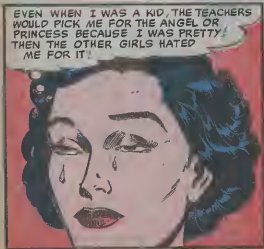
GOSH! YOU'VE GOT TO ADMIT SHE'S REALLY SOMETHING TO LOOK AT! I'D ASK HER FOR A DATE IF I DARED!

THAT'S WHAT I MEAN! SHE'S TOO HIGH AND MIGHTY!

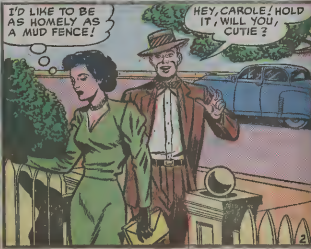
I WANTED TO RUSH BACK AND TELL THE FELLOW THAT I WAS DYING FOR A DATE WITH HIM! I WANTED TO TELL THE GIRL THAT I WAS NOT HIGH AND MIGHTY, THAT THEY HADN'T GIVEN ME A CHANCE TO BE FRIENDLY! BUT IT'S HARD TO REVEAL THE MISERY IN YOUR HEART!



ALL I WANT IS TO BE ONE OF THEM! BUT I GUESS IT'S IMPOSSIBLE!



EVEN WHEN I WAS A KID, THE TEACHERS WOULD PICK ME FOR THE ANGEL OR PRINCESS BECAUSE I WAS PRETTY! THEN THE OTHER GIRLS HATED ME FOR IT!



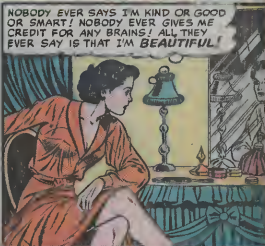
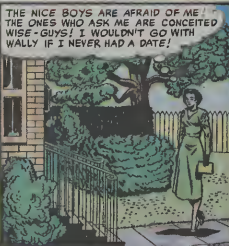
I'D LIKE TO BE AS HOMELY AS A MUD FENCE!

HEY, CAROLE! HOLD IT, WILL YOU, CUTIE?

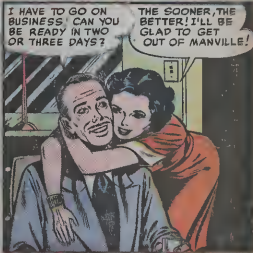
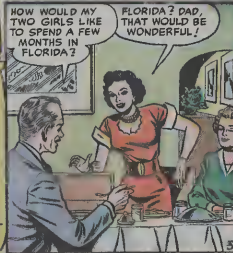
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I KNEW HIS REPUTATION WASN'T GOOD! BESIDES, I HAD NEVER LIKED SMART-ALECS! BUT HE WAS SURE TO SPREAD THE WORD THAT I HAD SNUBBED HIM! THEN I'D BE WORSE OFF THAN EVER!



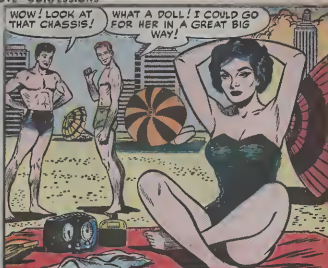
I WASN'T ANGRY AT ANY PERSON! I WAS SIMPLY FURIOUS WITH FATE FOR BESTOWING UPON ME WHAT MOST GIRLS THINK THEY WANT MORE THAN ANYTHING ELSE! BUT THINGS BECAME BRIGHTER THAT NIGHT AT DINNER...



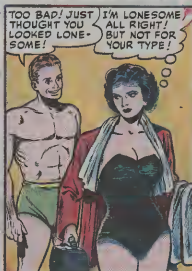
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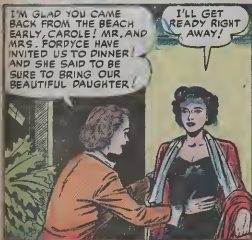
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WISHFUL
THINKING!
I SOON
LEARNED
THAT ALL
PEOPLE
IN ALL
PLACES
ARE
ABOUT THE
SAME! OH,
I HAD
PLENTY OF
CHANCES
TO MEET
MEN!
THE
WRONG
KINO!



YES! I MEAN,
I-I'M JUST
GETTING READY
TO GO IN!



I'M LONESOME!
ALL RIGHT!
BUT NOT FOR
YOUR TYPE!

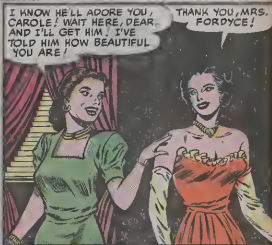
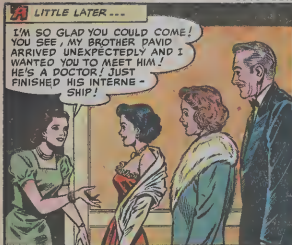


I'LL GET
READY RIGHT
AWAY!

The
FORDYCES
WERE NEW-
FOUND
FRIENDS OF
MY MOTHER
AND DAD
AND THE
EVENING
PROMISED
TO BE DULL
FOR ME! FOR
A MOMENT
I HAD A RAY
OF HOPE THAT
WE WOULDN'T
HAVE TO
GO!



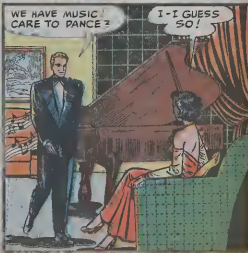
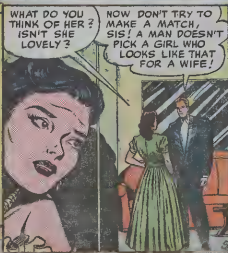
I HEARD ABOUT
IT! BUT THEY
SAY THE STORM'S
HEADING OUT TO
SEA! AND WE
SIMPLY CAN'T
DISAPPOINT MRS.
FORDYCE NOW!



As ALWAYS, THAT BEAUTIFUL STUFF ANNOYED ME! BUT I FORGOT IT WHEN I MET DR. DAVID WALSH! HE WAS THE MOST WONDERFUL LOOKING MAN I HAD EVER SEEN AND MY HEART STARTED TO POUND AND MY VOICE SEEMED TO STICK IN MY THROAT!



I COULDN'T SEEM TO MAKE CONVERSATION! GUESS THE THRILL OF DAVE'S NEARNESS HAD LEFT ME SPEECHLESS! I HAD HIGH HOPES THAT HE LIKED ME, TOO, UNTIL AFTER DINNER WHEN I HEARD HIM TALKING TO HIS SISTER!



SOMEONE HAD TURNED ON THE RADIO AND AS WE DANCED TO THE MUSIC AND DAVE HELD ME IN HIS STRONG ARMS, I FELT DESPERATELY THAT I'D LIKE TO STAY THERE ALWAYS! BUT WHAT GOOD DID IT DO TO DREAM?



SAY, YOU'RE A SWELL DANCER!

I SUPPOSE THAT'S SOMETHING BUT NOT MUCH!

WHAT DO YOU MEAN BY... OH, OH! THE MUSIC'S STOPPED!

WE INTERRUPT THIS PROGRAM TO BRING YOU A SPECIAL NEWS BULLETIN! THE HURRICANE PREVIOUSLY THOUGHT TO BE HEADED OUT TO SEA, HAS SWEERVED AND IS MOVING TOWARD PARKERS POINT!



PARKERS POINT IS THE LITTLE TOWN JUST BELOW HERE! WINDS OF HIGH VELOCITY ARE EXPECTED TO HIT WITHIN A MATTER OF MINUTES! STAY TUNED TO THIS STATION FOR FURTHER INFORMATION!



WE WAITED FOR MINUTES THAT SEEMED LIKE HOURS! THEN THE WORD CAME! THE HURRICANE HAD TAKEN ITS COURSE ACROSS THE POINT AND THERE WAS A STATE OF EMERGENCY! DOCTORS AND NURSES WERE URGED TO RUSH TO THE SCENE OF PROBABLE DISASTER!

I'M GOING RIGHT NOW!

AND I'M GOING WITH YOU! I CAN HELP IN SOME WAY!



ARE YOU SURE YOU WANT TO GET INTO THIS? IT MAY NOT BE PRETTY!

I'M SURE! LET'S GET THERE AS FAST AS POSSIBLE!

I HOPE WE CAN GET THROUGH!

WE HAVE TO!



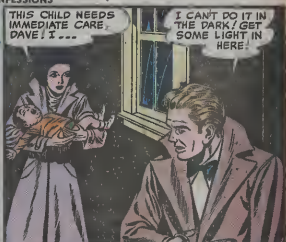
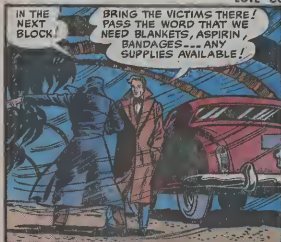
WE WERE TWO OF THE FIRST TO ARRIVE ON THE SCENE!

IT'S PRETTY BAD! AND WE DON'T HAVE A HOSPITAL HERE!

THEN WE'LL MAKE ONE! SURELY YOU HAVE A SCHOOLHOUSE!



LOVE CONFESSIONS



I WOULD NEVER HAVE BELIEVED THAT SO MUCH COULD BE DONE UNDER SUCH DREADFUL CIRCUMSTANCES! SOON WE HAD CANDLELIGHT, BLANKETS, AND MEDICAL SUPPLIES! AND DAVE KEPT GIVING ORDERS!



I WAS GLAD TO SEE THE SUN RISE. THE NEXT MORNING! IT MADE THINGS EASIER! WE WORKED ALONGSIDE OTHER DOCTORS AND NURSES WHO HAD COME AT THE CALL FOR HELP! FINALLY, THAT AFTER-NOON---



LOVE CONFESSIONS

I'M GLAD!
THAT'S
WHAT I
WANTED
TO BE!

I DON'T
BLAME YOU
FOR CRYING,
HONEY! THIS
HAS BEEN A
HARD PULL!



GET IT OUT OF YOUR
SYSTEM! YOU'LL FEEL
BETTER! AND YOU'RE
TIRED!



IT WASN'T
BECAUSE
I WAS TIRED
THAT I
WAS CRYING!
THOUGH IF
I HADN'T
BEEN SO
EXHAUSTED,
I PROBABLY
WOULDN'T
HAVE GIVEN
WAY TO
TEARS! IT
WAS
BECAUSE
HE HAD
SAID I WAS
TERRIFIC
AND A
GREAT
GUY!
SOMETHING
BESIDES
BEAUTIFUL!

YOU'D BETTER GO HOME AND
GET SOME SLEEP! TAKE MY
CAR!

BUT
WHAT
ABOUT
YOU?



I'LL FIND A PLACE HERE
TO GRAB OFF A FEW
WINKS! BUT MY SISTER AND
YOUR MOTHER AND DAD
MAY BE WORRIED! THE
LINES ARE ALL DOWN
AND THERE'S NO WAY
TO CALL!



I GUESS
YOU'RE
RIGHT! I'LL
GO!

BESIDES, I THINK YOU
NEED TO CHANGE
CLOTHES AND
CLEAN UP!
YOU'RE A
MESS!

I
AM?



YOUR DRESS IS MUDDY AND YOUR
HAIR'S A SIGHT AND YOU HAVE
BAGS UNDER YOUR EYES FROM
LOSS OF SLEEP!



I
DO?

BUT I LOVE YOU IN SPITE
OF IT! NOW GET ON
YOUR WAY!

I
W-WILL!



IT SEEMED
WRONG
THAT MY
HEART
SHOULD
SUDDENLY
FEEL SO LIGHT
AND HAPPY
IN SUCH
SORDID
SURROUNDINGS!
BUT IT DID!
AS I WALKED
TO DAVE'S CAR,
I WAS AWARE
OF MY
WEARINESS
BUT ALSO OF
A SURGING
SENSATION OF
EXUBERANCE!



MY KISS
WAS MY
ANSWER!
FOR THE
FIRST TIME
IN MY LIFE,
I WAS
DELIRIOUSLY
HAPPY!
FOR THE
FIRST TIME,
I KNEW
THAT
SOMEONE
HAD FOUND
BEAUTY IN
ME THAT
WAS MORE
THAN SKIN
DEEP!

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IT SEEMED LIKE THE END OF THE WORLD WHEN I WENT TO MY SWEET-HEART'S WEDDING AND SAW HIM MARRIED TO SOMEONE ELSE! BUT A SYMPATHETIC STRANGER SAT NEXT TO ME AND SHARED MY MISERY AND MADE LIFE WORTH LIVING AGAIN!



I HAD BEEN DATING FRANK OLIVER FOR SEVERAL MONTHS WHEN MY BIG BREAK CAME! I COULD HARDLY WAIT TO TELL HIM!

FRANK, GUESS WHAT? THE SINGER WITH CARL CRAMER'S ORCHESTRA IS SICK AND THEY'VE ASKED ME TO FILL HER SPOT FOR A WHILE!

GEE, THAT'S GREAT, GALE!



WILL YOU COME TO THE CARAVAN CLUB TO HEAR ME TONIGHT?

YOU KNOW I WILL!



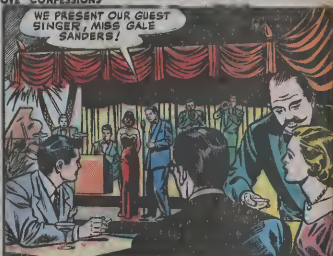
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AND WILL YOU BE PROUD OF ME, DARLING?

THAT'S UP TO YOU!

I WAS JUMPING FOR JOY! TO SING WITH SUCH A BIG NAME BAND WAS ARRIVING AT SUCCESS! AND FRANK'S BEING THERE MADE IT SO MUCH MORE THRILLING!



WE PRESENT OUR GUEST SINGER, MISS GALE SANDERS!

After THE CLUB CLOSED...



HOW DID I DO?

I HEARD PEOPLE TALKING! EVERYBODY THOUGHT YOU WERE TERRIFIC!



AND SO DO I!

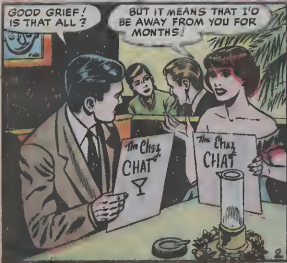
THAT'S ALL THAT MATTERS TO ME, DARLING!

I LOVED FRANK WITH A SORT OF FRANTIC MADNESS! THAT'S WHY I WAS SO UPSET WHEN I CALLED AND ASKED HIM TO TAKE ME TO LUNCH A FEW WEEKS LATER!



WHAT'S UP? THIS IS A BUSY DAY FOR ME BUT I FIGURED SOMETHING WAS WRONG!

IT IS! THE ORCHESTRA IS GOING ON TOUR AND I'VE BEEN OFFERED THE JOB OF TRAVELING WITH THEM!



GOOD GRIEF! IS THAT ALL?

BUT IT MEANS THAT I'VE BEEN AWAY FROM YOU FOR MONTHS!



BUT IT'S A GOOD BREAK! BY ALL MEANS, TAKE IT!

I GUESS I SHOULD! ONLY...

ONLY IT MEANT GOING AWAY FROM FRANK! THE MORNING I LEFT, I COULDN'T FIND WORDS! I CLUNG TO HIM AS HE KISSED ME GOODBYE! I'M GLAD I DIDN'T KNOW THAT IT WOULD BE OUR LAST KISS!



YOU'LL WRITE, WON'T YOU?

SURE, SWEETHEART! LET ME KNOW WHERE YOU'LL BE!



Three MONTHS LATER, I WAS COMING HOME BY PLANE ---

THIS IS SO MUCH DIFFERENT THAN THE DAY I LEFT! I WAS SO SAD THEN! NOW I'M HAPPY! I'LL SOON SEE FRANK AGAIN!



HE CALLED ME LONG DISTANCE AT FIRST, FOR SEVERAL WEEKS! SAID HE WASN'T MUCH GOOD AT LETTER WRITING! THAT'S WHY I HAVEN'T HEARD LATELY!

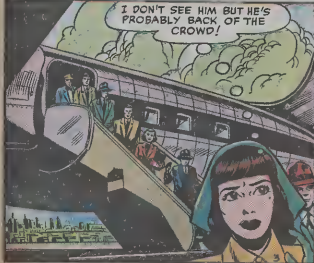


FASTEN YOUR SAFETY BELT! WE'LL SOON BE COMING IN FOR THE LANDING!

I HOPE FRANK GOT MY WIRE AND WILL BE AT THE AIRPORT TO MEET ME!



I DON'T SEE HIM BUT HE'S PROBABLY BACK OF THE CROWD!



MARGE, WHAT ARE YOU DOING HERE?

FRANK CALLED THAT HE GOT YOUR TELEGRAM AND ASKED ME TO MEET YOU! THE HEEL LEFT THE DIRTY WORK TO ME!



LOVE CONFESSIONS

WHAT DO YOU MEAN, DIRTY WORK?

I ALWAYS TOLD YOU THAT GUY WAS NO GOOD! HE'S GETTING MARRIED IN A FEW DAYS!



MARGE WAS MY BEST FRIEND AND WE SHARED OUR APARTMENT! SHE GOT ME HOME, THOUGH MY HEAD SEEMED TO BE SPINNING IN SPACE! FINALLY, I BROKE DOWN AND CRIED MY EYES OUT!

MARGE HOW COULD HE DO THIS TO ME?



IT'S MEAN! BUT GO AHEAD AND CRY AND GET IT OUT OF YOUR SYSTEM!

The NEXT MORNING...

THIS IS THE FINAL BLOW! AN INVITATION TO THE WEDDING! I HAVE TO GO OR OUR FRIENDS WILL THINK I'M BITTER!



WHY SHOULDN'T YOU BE?

I WENT TO THE WEDDING! HERE'S A SEAT ON THE AISLE! I'LL TAKE IT!



CERTAINLY! THE CEREMONY'S ABOUT TO BEGIN!



DO YOU, FRANK OLIVER, TAKE THIS WOMAN TO BE YOUR LAWFULLY WEDDED WIFE?



I DO!

DON'T TAKE IT TOO HARD! I'M IN THE SAME BOAT, I LOVE THE BRIDE!



YOU DO?

LET'S GO OUT THIS SIDE DOOR AND AVOID EMBARRASSMENT! WE'RE BOTH EQUALLY MISERABLE! MAYBE WE SHOULD SHARE OUR TROUBLES OVER DINNER!



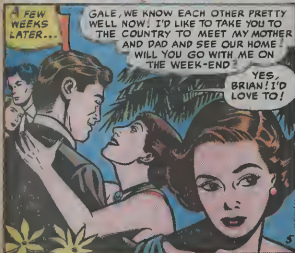
I'D LOVE TO! MISERY LOVES COMPANY!

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IF YOU'VE EVER BEEN IN LOVE, YOU MAY KNOW MY AGONY! THEN MAYBE YOU'LL UNDERSTAND WHY I ACCEPTED BRIAN'S INVITATION! HE SEEMED LIKE A SOUL-MATE IN MUTUAL SORROW!



BRIAN GAVE ME A GOOD TALKING TO AFTER THAT! HE WAS DETERMINED THAT WE SHOULD FORGET OUR PAST TOGETHER! WHEN HE TOOK ME HOME...



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DO YOU MEAN IT?

I-I'M NOT SURE!

BRIAN'S MOTHER AND FATHER WERE KIND PEOPLE AND A KINDRED FEELING WAS KINDLED INSIDE ME! THEIR HOME WAS WARM AND FRIENDLY AND AS BRIAN AND I STOOD LOOKING OVER THE LANDSCAPE, I FELT WARM AND HAPPY!



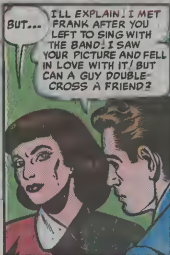
YOUR PARENTS ARE SWEET PEOPLE! I WAS JUST THINKING THAT FRANK NEVER TOOK ME TO HIS HOME!

STILL GRIEVING OVER THE GUY?



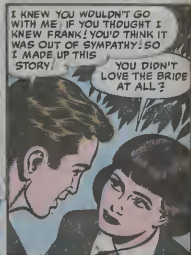
NO! I REALIZE NOW THAT HE NEVER HAD ANY SERIOUS INTENTIONS ABOUT ME. BUT WHAT ABOUT YOU AND...

THE BRIDE? HONEY I LIED TO YOU. I NEVER SAW THE GAL BEFORE THE DAY OF THE WEDDING!



BUT...

I'LL EXPLAIN. I MET FRANK AFTER YOU LEFT TO SING WITH THE BAND. I SAW YOUR PICTURE AND FELL IN LOVE WITH IT! BUT CAN A GUY DOUBLE-CROSS A FRIEND?



I KNEW YOU WOULDN'T GO WITH ME, IF YOU THOUGHT I KNEW FRANK! YOU'D THINK IT WAS OUT OF SYMPATHY. SO I MADE UP THIS STORY!

YOU DIDN'T LOVE THE BRIDE AT ALL?



YOU'RE THE FIRST AND ONLY GIRL I EVER LOVED! ONLY I WANT TO BE SURE YOU'RE OVER FRANK BEFORE I MARRY YOU!

I WOULDN'T TRADE A MILLION FRANKS FOR YOU! HE WAS A DREAM OF WHAT I WANTED! YOU'RE THE REAL THING!

SO BRIAN AND I WERE MARRIED! MARGE WAS DELIGHTED TO BE MY BRIDESMAID BECAUSE SHE LIKED AND APPROVED OF MY FINAL CHOICE! AND I THOUGHT IT BIG OF BRIAN TO ASK OUR FRIEND FRANK TO BE THE BEST MAN! ONLY I GOT THE BEST MAN AND I KNOW IT!



LOVE CONFESSIONS

I HAD THOUGHT THAT LOVE WOULD BE ALL SWEETNESS AND LIGHT, AND MY HEART HUNGERED FOR THE TENDER MOMENTS THAT ARE THE FABRIC OF EVERY GIRL'S DAY DREAMS! HOW WAS I TO KNOW THAT IN MY SEARCH FOR LOVE I WOULD BE SWEEPED UP IN THE VIOLENT TEMPEST OF A VAIN WOMAN'S JEALOUSY? UNWITTINGLY, BLINDLY, WHEN I REACHED FOR LOVE---



I tangled with
**a SPITEFUL
BLONDE!**

IT STARTED WITH A SURPRISING INVITATION FROM MY AUNT MARCIA---

SUMMER VACATION IN CHICAGO! AREN'T YOU THE LUCKY KID?

MY AUNT'S NO MILLIONAIRE BUT SHE **DOES** RUN A SUCCESSFUL DRESS SHOP! TERRIFIC, HUH?



JUST THINK! A BIG CITY, NEW FRIENDS, AND---

AND MAYBE SOMEBODY SPECIAL, EH, DOREEN? I'LL KEEP MY FINGERS CROSSED FOR YOU!



IT SOUNDED WONDERFUL! BUT THE FIRST JARRING NOTE CAME AT THE CHICAGO STATION---

...AND I SUPPOSE I'VE WRITTEN TO YOU ABOUT MY OTHER NIECE, DOREEN! THIS IS PAMELA BROOKS!

I'M SURE WE'LL HAVE FUN TOGETHER, AUNT MARCIA!



But PAM'S COLD, RESENTFUL EXPRESSION MADE ME DUBIOUS ABOUT THE "FUN" WE'D HAVE TOGETHER!

SO PAM'S BEEN LIVING WITH AUNT MARCIA MORE THAN A YEAR! CAN'T BLAME HER FOR BEING A LITTLE JEALOUS, BUT MUST SHE BE SO SNOBBISH?



AUNT MARCIA DID HER BEST TO MAKE ME FEEL WELCOME---

I THOUGHT A PARTY WOULD BE FUN! THAT WAY YOU CAN INTRODUCE DOREEN TO ALL YOUR FRIENDS, PAM!

OH, WONDERFUL!



OH, I DON'T KNOW! I DON'T HAVE A THING TO WEAR!

WHY, PAM, YOU HAVE LOADS OF CLOTHES! BUT I'M SURE YOU'LL FIND SOMETHING YOU LIKE AT THE SHOP! YOU TOO, DOREEN!



THANKS, AUNT MARCIA... YOU'RE A DOLL!

ISN'T SHE SWEET? PAM JUST WINDS ME AROUND HER LITTLE FINGER!



THE NIGHT OF THE PARTY---

THERE! NOW DOESN'T SHE LOOK LIKE A DREAM?

YES! YES, DOESN'T SHE, THOUGH?



And LATER---

THIS IS ONE OF PAMELA'S FRIENDS, DEAR... RALPH TURNER!

ONE OF YOUR FRIENDS, TOO, DOREEN! AT LEAST I HOPE SO!



FUNNY, PAM NEVER TOLD ME THE GUEST OF HONOR WOULD BE A GLAMOR GIRL!



PAM WOULDN'T!

I FOUND RALPH CHARMING, BUT NO MORE SO THAN THE OTHER MEN WHO SHOWERED ME WITH ATTENTION!

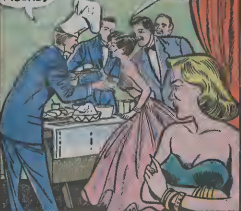
NO FAIR, DOREEN! YOU CAN'T DANCE WITH RALPH AGAIN!

WHY NOT, BOY? I SAW HER FIRST!



I WAS HAVING TOO MUCH FUN TO NOTICE PAM, GLARING AT ME WITH ENVY!

HERE! IT'S A CINCIN YOU DON'T HAVE TO WATCH THAT FIGURE!



BUT WHEN THE GUESTS HAD DEPARTED...

WASN'T IT GRAND, PAM? I THINK YOUR FRIENDS ARE JUST SUPER!

SO I NOTICED!



AND JUST IN CASE YOU'RE GETTING ANY ROMANTIC NOTIONS ABOUT RALPH, REMEMBER THAT I DON'T STAND FOR COMPETITION!

ROMANTIC? OH, PAM, OF COURSE NOT!



I'M TOLERATING YOU FOR AUNT MARCIA'S SAKE! BUT WHEN YOU START CRAMPING MY STYLE--- LOOK OUT!



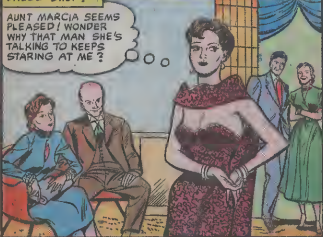
OH, AUNT MARCIA! I DIDN'T MEAN ANYTHING WRONG!

OF COURSE NOT, DEAR! PAM'S JUST A TRIFLE HIGH-STRUNG! NOW IF YOU'LL CHEER UP, I'LL HAVE A REAL SURPRISE FOR YOU TOMORROW!



AUNT MARCIA'S SURPRISE WAS A MODELING JOB AT HER DRESS SHOP!

AUNT MARCIA SEEMS PLEASED! WONDER WHY THAT MAN SHE'S TALKING TO KEEPS STARING AT ME?



HELLO! GUESS I MISSED YOUR PARTY LAST NIGHT! I'M GIL ANTHONY!

THE MANAGER! THAT'S RIGHT, AUNT MARCIA DID SAY YOU WERE ON A BUYING TRIP!

EMPLOYEES ONLY



AND I SAW A LOT OF GORGEOUS MODELS IN NEW YORK, BUT...MMM! HOME WAS NEVER LIKE THIS!

YOU'RE JUST BEING KIND!

MODELS' DRESSING ROOM

But I KNEW FROM THE WAY GIL LOOKED AT ME THAT IT WASN'T JUST "KINDNESS"! HIS EVERY GLANCE SENT AN UNEXPECTED THRILL CHARGING THROUGH ME!



ACTUALLY, I'VE NEVER MODELLED BEFORE AND I'M SCARED SILLY!

NOT OF ME, I HOPE! BECAUSE I WAS PLANNING TO TAKE YOU TO DINNER TONIGHT!



Later...

I NOTICED YOU AND GIL ANTHONY SEEM TO BE HITTING IT OFF RATHER WELL, DOREEN!

ISN'T HE WONDERFUL, AUNT MARCIA?



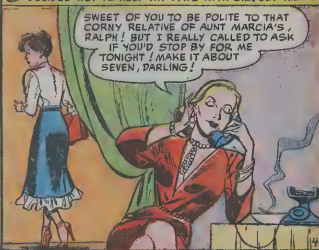
I KNOW, BUT... GIL HAS BEEN DATING PAM! WE...WOULDN'T WANT ANY MORE SCENES!

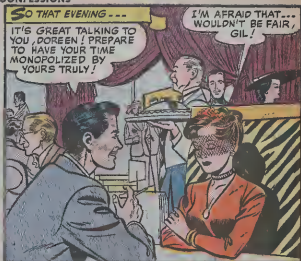
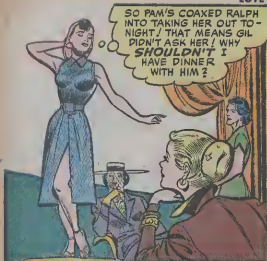
OH, NO! NO, OF COURSE NOT!



I DECIDED NOT TO KEEP MY DATE WITH GIL! BUT THEN...

SWEET OF YOU TO BE POLITE TO THAT CORNY RELATIVE OF AUNT MARCIA'S, RALPH! BUT I REALLY CALLED TO ASK IF YOU'D STOP BY FOR ME TONIGHT! MAKE IT ABOUT SEVEN, DARLING!

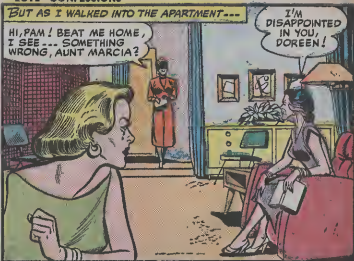




LOVE CONFESSIONS



I LOVE GIL! I MUST...OR I WOULDN'T FEEL THIS WAY!



BUT AS I WALKED INTO THE APARTMENT---

HI, PAM! BEAT ME HOME, I SEE--- SOMETHING WRONG, AUNT MARCIA?

I'M DISAPPOINTED IN YOU, DOREEN!



ABOUT MY DATE WITH GIL? BUT PAM HAD ANOTHER DATE, AND---

EXCUSES! YOU'VE DONE NOTHING SINCE YOU'RE HERE BUT TRY TO PUSH ME OUT OF THE WAY!



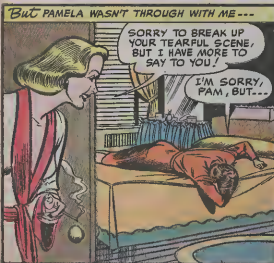
AUNT MARCIA, THAT ISN'T TRUE! I---

PAM IS TERRIBLY UPSET, POOR CHILD! I THINK WE'VE HEARD ENOUGH!

Their SCORN ERASED THE BLISSFUL MEMORY OF GIL'S KISS! IN DESPERATE CONFUSION I RAN TO MY ROOM!



I THOUGHT EVERYTHING WAS SO WONDERFUL! BOB? BUT I'M SORRY I CAME--- SORRY I EVEN MET GIL!



BUT PAMELA WASN'T THROUGH WITH ME---

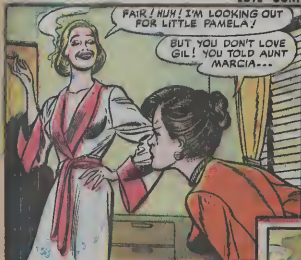
SORRY TO BREAK UP YOUR TEARFUL SCENE, BUT I HAVE MORE TO SAY TO YOU!

I'M SORRY, PAM, BUT---



LISTEN! I GOT RALPH BACK WHERE I WANT HIM TONIGHT, AND I'LL GET GIL, TOO!

BUT YOU AREN'T BEING FAIR, PAM!



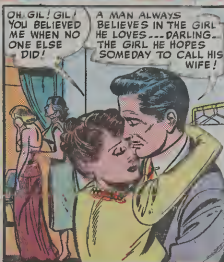
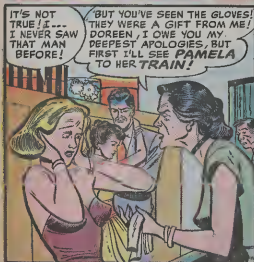
I SAW PAM THEN FOR WHAT SHE WAS--- A SELFISH VAIN, SCHEMING INGRATE WHO WOULD GO TO ANY LENGTH TO HAVE HER WAY! NOW FAR SHE WAS WILLING TO GO, I LEARNED THE NEXT DAY!



LOVE CONFESSIONS



APOLOGETICALLY, AUNT MARCIA INSPECTED THE LOCKERS! BUT AS SHE OPENED MINE...



And IN GIL'S ARMS I LEARNED THAT THE SELFISH HEART, NO MATTER HOW VICIOUS ITS SCHEMES, IS NO MATCH FOR THE ABIDING TRUST OF TWO HEARTS IN LOVE!

The Two-Timers

"I'm only telling you what I saw," said Shirley as she confided her information to Karen. "They were buying an engagement and wedding ring set at the jewelry store. Then it just happens that my brother is in the real estate business and they came to him to find out about renting an apartment!"

"I—I simply can't believe it," answered Karen, trying to control the tears that were blurring her eyes and the lump in her throat that was getting larger by the minute. "I can't believe they would two-time me like that!"

"I also heard," smiled Shirley, "that they were seen at the travel agency, asking about honeymoon cruises! Take it for what it's worth but I thought you should know to save yourself embarrassment!"

After Shirley left, Karen wept bitterly! She had wondered why Gary and Doris hadn't been at the airport to meet her after she had wired that she was coming! Her two months' absence had been on doctor's orders as a rest after a serious illness. Gary, her sweetheart, and Doris, her very dearest friend, had seen her off and written to her regularly. She knew they had gone out together while she was away. "Just to keep us both from getting too lonely for you," Doris had written. But from what Shirley had just told her, it had been something much more than that!

Shirley had gone with Gary before he met Karen! That might be reason for malicious gossip on her part but the facts she had given seemed well founded and the whole story was borne out by their not coming to the airport for her arrival! She had taken a cab and Shirley had seen her come up the walk, had rushed to greet her and then had imparted the bad news!

The doorbell rang and Karen hurriedly dried her eyes and answered it! Mrs. Neuman who lived in the next apartment was standing at the door!

"I thought I heard someone come in here," she beamed. "It's nice to have you back! How are you feeling?"

"Fine," answered Karen but her misty eyes gave her away!

"You poor thing," sympathized Mrs. Neuman, "you know, don't you? It's really a shame the way Gary and Doris have treated you! I saw them at the florists yesterday, ordering the bridal bouquet!"

This certainly confirmed the story! When Mrs. Neuman finally left, Karen sank to the couch!

"I can't blame them, I guess," she sobbed. "I was gone a long time and if they fell in love, it's not their fault! Only why didn't they tell me instead of letting me hear about it this way?"

"If it had been someone besides Doris it wouldn't even be so bad," she thought as she paced the room. "At least, I could have turned to her then for consolation! Now I have no one!"

It was just a few minutes later that Gary gave the door a solid rap, pushed it open and came rushing in. Doris was right behind him and they both seemed overjoyed to see Karen! Gary grabbed her in his arms and kissed her again and again while Doris seemed to be simply bubbling over with excitement!

"I'm sorry we didn't get to the airport," Gary explained at last, "but we were at the furniture store and the wire was waiting when I got home! I called Doris and picked her up on the way here! Gee, honey, we have something important to tell you!"

"I hope you won't feel bad about it," chimed in Doris. "We probably should have told you before but—"

Feel bad about it? Karen bit her lips to keep them from quivering and waited to hear the worst! She determined to be big about it!

"First of all, Doris and I picked out these," Gary said as he produced a small velvet box and opened it to reveal a large diamond engagement ring and a wedding band! Then we rented an apartment, picked out furniture, and even made arrangements for the wedding and the honeymoon!"

"I do hope you don't feel too bad about my doing it all," Doris added. "But Gary was sure that I knew exactly what you'd want and he wanted so much to surprise you!"

"Me?" questioned Karen, afraid to believe what they seemed to be telling her. "You did all that for me?"

"Naturally, darling, for you," grinned Gary. "Who else?"

Then the tears really rolled down Karen's cheeks, tears of relief and happiness. "You're the sweetest people I ever knew," was all she could manage to say!

She never told them of Shirley's report or that of Mrs. Neuman! Nor did she ever tell them that she had actually been willing to believe that they had been two-timers!

My Secret



There ARE SOME THINGS IN LIFE A GIRL HOLDS DEAR! TRUE LOVE IS ONE OF THEM! YET WHEN THAT LOVE CAME TO ME, I, ANN SCOTT, HID IT DEEP WITHIN MY HEART FOR THE MAN I ADORED LOVED ANOTHER --- ONE WHOSE FALSE DEVOTION BLINDED HIM TO MY EXISTENCE --- A WOMAN WHOSE SELFISH LUST FOR FAME THREATENED TO RUIN FOREVER MY ONE CHANCE TO HAPPINESS!

I REMEMBER HOW IT ALL BEGAN, THAT DAY IN JULIA BISHOP'S DRESSING ROOM! JULIA WAS THE GLAMOROUS SINGING SENSATION, AND I WAS HER SECRETARY! MAT HANSON, HER PRESS AGENT, WAS UP TO HIS USUAL TRICKS....

LISTEN, JULIA, IT'S A NATURAL! THE PUBLIC LAPS UP STUFF LIKE THAT! RIGHT, ANNIE!

I...I REALLY DON'T KNOW!

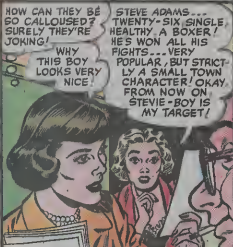


LOOK--YOU'VE GOT YOUR CHOICE OF A DOZEN GUYS HERE...FOOTBALL STARS, FLYBOYS, BOXERS! I'LL MAKE THE CONTACTS, YOU DATE THE HERO, HE FALLS IN LOVE WITH YOU---AND YOUR PURSE BENEFITS!

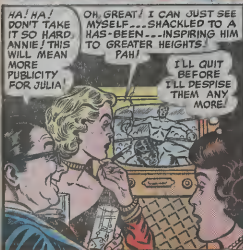
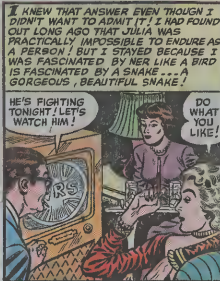
HUMM...I DO NEED A GOOD ROMANCE RIGHT NOW! ALL RIGHT, MAT, YOU'RE ON! ANN, PICK ONE OUT!



LOVE CONFESSIONS



And JULIA BISHOP WAS NOT JOKING! FOR THE NEXT TWO WEEKS SHE GAVE IT EVERYTHING SHE HAD! STEVE ADAMS ADORED HER, AND THEY BECAME ENGAGED JUST LIKE THAT! WITH MAT'S HELP, PUBLICITY ABOUT THEM, CAUGHT ON, THEN, THINGS BEGAN TO GO WRONG...



BUT I DID NOT QUIT, OF COURSE! THAT NEXT NIGHT STEVE ADAMS CAME TO JULIA'S APARTMENT TO TAKE HER TO DINNER AND WHILE HE WAITED FOR HER TO DRESS, I MET HIM FOR THE FIRST TIME!



LOVE CONFESSIONS

I PHONED HER LAST NIGHT THAT SHE COULD BE FREE, BUT JULIA WOULDN'T HEAR OF IT! SHE INSISTED THAT WE STAY ENGAGED! I'VE GOT TO GET ANOTHER FIGHT—AND WIN IT THIS TIME! I COULDN'T ASK HER TO MARRY A HAS-BEEN!

YOU AREN'T A HAS-BEEN!

YOU'LL MAKE GOOD! I KNOW YOU WILL! IT WAS JUST BAD LUCK... THAT'S ALL! EVERYONE HAS THAT AT ONE TIME OR ANOTHER!

THANKS, ANN! AND THANKS FOR MAKING ME BELIEVE IT CAN JUST BE BAD LUCK!

WELL, WELL... I HOPE YOU HAVE NOT BEEN WAITING TOO LONG FOR ME, STEVE DARLING! I HAD SO MANY THINGS TO DO, YOU KNOW!

I DIDN'T MIND, REALLY! ANN... THAT IS, MISS SCOTT MADE ME FEEL RIGHT AT HOME!

SHE DID? SHE'S SUCH A DEAR... ALWAYS TRYING TO HELP ME, EVEN IF HER DUTIES COME FIRST... DON'T THEY, ANN?

Y-YES, JULIA! IT WAS NICE MEETING YOU, MR. ADAMS! I MUST GET BACK TO ANSWERING THIS MAIL! UH... HAVE A NICE TIME!

OH THE SCHEMING VIXEN! IF STEVE ONLY KNEW!

ALL THAT WEEK, STEVE AND JULIA WERE SEEN EVERY-

WHERE, PHOTO-GRAPHED AND INTERVIEWED! JULIA WAS PLAYING HERSELF UP AS THE NOBLE, FAITHFUL FIANCEE! AT PARTIES, FOR INSTANCE...

I JUST KNOW THAT STEVE WILL GET ANOTHER FIGHT! I LOVE HIM... THAT'S ALL THAT MATTERS!

HOW TOUCHING... HOW VERY TOUCHING!

CAN I PRINT THAT, MISS BISHOP? IS IT TRUE THAT YOU'LL MARRY MR. ADAMS IN A FEW MONTHS?

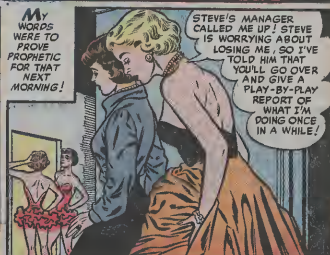
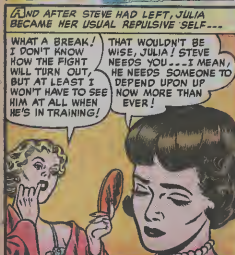
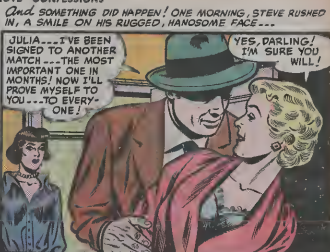
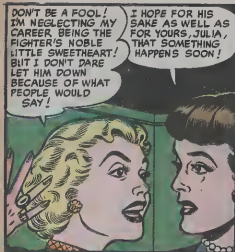
I'LL STAND BY HIM NO MATTER WHAT! I KNOW STEVE FEELS THE SAME WAY!

BUT WHEN JULIA WAS ALONE WITH ME...

ANN, I'VE GOT TO GET OUT OF THIS MESS, BUT HOW? THIS CRAZY ROMANCE IS BACK-FIRING!

COULDN'T YOU JUST TELL STEVE? IT WOULD BE BETTER FOR HIM THAT WAY THAN TO FIND OUT LATER!

LOVE CONFESSIONS



LOVE CONFESSIONS

THE TERRIBLE NEED TO BE A SUCCESS FOR JULIA WAS IN STEVE'S EYES AS WELL AS IN HIS WORDS! SUDDENLY, I FOUND MYSELF LYING...TELLING HIM HOW MUCH SHE LOVED HIM... AND LATER, WHEN I TRIED TO EXPLAIN THIS TO JULIA---

PLEASE ANN! I'M IN NO MOOD FOR PROBLEMS! WHATEVER YOU TOLD HIM CERTAINLY WORKED! HIS MANAGER PHONED! STEVE HAS GONE STRAIGHT TO BED AND IS SLEEPING LIKE A LOG... HE HASN'T DONE THAT FOR SOME TIME! SEE HIM AGAIN --- KEEP IT UP!



I MET STEVE A FEW NIGHTS LATER! IT WAS A BEAUTIFUL AUTUMN NIGHT, SO WE TOOK A STROLL THROUGH THE PARK---

HOW IS JULIA? IS SHE WORKING VERY HARD? TELL HER TO TAKE CARE OF HERSELF!

SHE MISSES YOU! IF IT WEREN'T FOR HER WORK I DON'T KNOW WHAT SHE'D DO---

MAY HEAVEN FORGIVE ME!



I'M SURE OF JULIA AT LAST! BUT TELL ME ABOUT YOUR OWN SWEET-HEART, ANN! A GIRL LIKE YOU IS SURE TO HAVE ONE!

S-SWEET-HEART? WHY... THERE'S NO ONE... NO ONE AT ALL!



BUT COLOR FLARED UP IN MY CHEEKS, AND THE HEARTBREAK DEEP WITHIN ME SHOWED THROUGH THE HEAVEN IN MY EYES BECAUSE I WAS WITH STEVE---

THAT GIVES YOU AWAY ANN! THERE IS SOMEONE--- AND WHOEVER HE IS, HE'S A MIGHTY LUCKY GUY!



LATER, IN MY OWN SMALL ROOM A FEW BLOCKS AWAY FROM JULIA'S LAVISH APARTMENT, I CRIED MY EYES OUT---

I WON'T SEE STEVE AGAIN! IT...IT'S NOT FAIR! WHY DID I HAVE TO FALL IN LOVE WITH HIM... WHY?



BUT STEVE MISSED JULIA MORE THAN EVER, AND ONCE AGAIN I HAD TO PLAY THE LITTLE DECEIVER! IT GOT TO BE A REGULAR ROUTINE! FINALLY, ONE DAY, JULIA HERSELF ACCOMPANIED ME TO SEE STEVE! I FOUND OUT WHY!

DARLING, I'D LOVE TO TALK TO YOU SOME MORE --- BUT HERE COME THE REPORTERS! I SENT FOR THEM!

UH... THAT'S ALL RIGHT, JULIA --- GO AHEAD!



I OWE YOU A GREAT DEAL, ANN! YOU'VE KEPT ME ON AN EVEN KEEL! SOMEDAY MAYBE JULIA AND I CAN MAKE IT UP TO YOU!

FORGET IT, STEVE! I DON'T MIND PLAYING CUPID!

DEAREST... I LOVE YOU SO MUCH!



THE EVENING BEFORE THE FIGHT... I MET STEVE ONCE MORE, IN THE PARK! HE SEEMED TENSE AND NERVOUS...

THIS TIME I HAVE TO WIN, ANN! I HAVE TO!

YOU WILL! REMEMBER THAT, STEVE!

IT CERTAINLY WASN'T ADORATION THAT MADE STEVE KISS ME THEN, BUT I COULDN'T HELP HOW I RETURNED IT! I HAD LOVED HIM TOO MUCH FOR TOO LONG! THE THRILL OF HIS LIPS ON MINE MADE IT A MIXTURE OF MISERY AND JOY!



DARLING, DARLING!

ANN... I... I DIDN'T KNOW!

PLEASE FORGET THAT, STEVE. IT WAS A SILLY MISTAKE! I ONLY MEANT TO LET YOU KNOW I WANTED YOU TO WIN... THAT I THOUGHT YOU WOULD!

OH, ANN... I'M SORRY!

STEVE, PLEASE TAKE ME TO JULIA'S APARTMENT! I STILL HAVE STACKS OF MAIL TO ANSWER FOR HER! SHE'S AT THE NIGHT CLUB...

STEVE INSISTED ON SEEING ME TO THE DOOR! HIS KINDNESS WAS THE VARIETY YOU LAVISHED ON SOMEONE YOU HAD ACCIDENTALLY HURT... AND IT WAS WORSE THAN NONE AT ALL!

ARE YOU ALL RIGHT, ANN?

YES, I...

LISTEN TO ME, MAT...

IT HAD HAPPENED... WHAT I FEARED WOULD HAPPEN ALL ALONG! SOMETHING MUST HAVE GONE WRONG WITH JULIA'S SCHEDULE, BECAUSE SHE WAS STILL IN THE APARTMENT, APPARENTLY TALKING TO MAT ON THE PHONE!

...WHETHER HE WINS OR NOT, I WON'T MARRY HIM! NO DULL LITTLE HOUSEWIFE ROUTINE FOR ME! THAT DOESN'T RATE AN INCH OF COPY A MONTH!

MY DEAREST... I... I COULDN'T TELL YOU!

STEVE, YOU... YOU HEARD ME! WAIT... I CAN EXPLAIN!

THERE'S NOTHING TO EXPLAIN, JULIA! GOOD BYE!



LOVE CONFESSIONS

He TURNED AND WALKED AWAY
NOT LOOKING BACK! JULIA
WAS FURIOUS!

WHY DID YOU BRING HIM UP
HERE, YOU LITTLE FOOL?
NOW YOU'VE RUINED EVERY-
THING!

B-BUT I DIDN'T
BRING HIM UP HERE,
HE INSISTED---



DON'T LIE TO ME, YOU UNGRATEFUL
SNIP! I KNOW WHAT'S GOING ON
BEHIND MY BACK! YOU'RE MAKING
A PLAY FOR HIM YOURSELF! HE'LL
WELL HAVE MONEY AFTER THIS FIGHT!
WELL --- YOU'RE FIRED! **GET
OUT!**

YOU KNOW THAT'S NOT
TRUE ABOUT ME! BUT
I AM GLAD YOU SAID
THAT! NOW I SEE YOU
FOR THE SELFISH
CREATURE YOU REALLY
ARE! DON'T
WORRY! I'LL
GET OUT...
I COULDN'T
TAKE THIS
MUCH LONGER!



That LONG, MISERABLE NIGHT, AND
THE FOLLOWING DAY I BUSIED MY-
SELF WITH ARRANGEMENTS FOR
LEAVING TOWN! I KNOW JULIA WAS
PROBABLY TRYING TO MAKE UP
WITH STEVE, AND I TRIED TO FOR-
GET HIM --- BUT LATER THAT
EVENING, I JUST HAD TO LISTEN
TO THE RADIO---

STEVE ADAMS HAS
NEVER FOUGHT LIKE THIS
BEFORE --- WE HAVE A
NEW CHAMPION --- A
FIGHTING CHAMPION!

DARLING...
I'M SO
HAPPY
FOR YOU---



I FINISHED
PACKING
AND CALLED
FOR A CAB!
I WOULD HAVE
TO START A
NEW LIFE
SOMEWHERE...
A LIFE THAT
WOULD PERMIT
ME PEACE OF
SOUL!
SUDDENLY,
THE DOOR-
BELL RANG,
AND---



I WON! I WON! DEAREST...
---I HOPE I WASN'T
DREAMING LAST NIGHT
THAT YOU DO CARE
FOR ME! FORGIVE
ME FOR NOT
KNOWING THIS
SOONER, BUT
I LOVE YOU...
ONLY YOU!



B-BUT...HOW
COULD YOU...
AFTER WHAT
HAPPENED?
JULIA MUST
HAVE TOLD
YOU SO
MANY
LIES...

SHE DID, BUT I
LEARNED MY LESSON,
HONEY! I'VE LONG
SENSED THAT SHE
DIDN'T LOVE ME. LAST
NIGHT I KNEW I DIDN'T
LOVE HER! THAT'S WHY
I WON TONIGHT!
PLEASE MARRY ME,
ANN! I NEED
YOU!



BUT WHAT
WILL JULIA
AND...AND
MAT TELL
EVERYONE?

THAT'S THEIR PROBLEM! WE'LL GO
BACK TO MY HOME TOWN, IF THAT
SUITS YOU, AND I'LL DEDICATE
MY LIFE TO MAKING LOVE TO
MY WIFE!



I FLUNG
MYSELF
INTO HIS
ARMS AT
LAST...
THRILLING
TO THE
RAPTURE
OF HIS
KISS! I
KNEW THEN
THAT THIS
WAS JUST
A SAMPLE
OF THE
HAPPINESS
TO COME
---FOR MY
DREAMS
HAD COME
TRUE...
AFTER
ALL!





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